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Applicant(s) : Hirofumi FUKUOKA et al.

For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR THE CONTINUOUS PRODUCTION OF SILICON  
OXIDE POWDER

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
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Sir:

Herewith is the above-identified application for Letters Patent including:

- ☒ Specification and claims ☐ Verified statement(s) to establish small entity  
status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27
- ☒ 1 Sheet of Drawings ☐ Information Disclosure
- ☐ Formal ☐ Informal
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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Respectfully submitted,

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